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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

**ELAINE L. CHAO**, Secretary of Labor,  
United States Department of Labor,

Plaintiff,

v.

**SABLAN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LTD.**,  
a corporation; JESUS SABLAN;  
AGNES SABLAN; RITA SABLAN; and  
KARL T. REYES,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 01-0047

**THE SECRETARY'S  
REPORT TO THE COURT**

THE PLAINTIFF, Elaine L. Chao, Secretary of Labor, United States Department of Labor (the "Secretary"), files this Report to the Court concerning the outstanding unpaid backwages due pursuant to an amended consent judgment entered into between the Secretary and the defendants and filed with the Court on March 8, 2003:

On or about May 2, 2008 (Pacific standard time and date), and pursuant to a settlement reached between the parties, the Secretary received a payment in the amount of five hundred thousand

1 (\$500,000.00) dollars in full satisfaction of the backwages that the  
2 defendants owed their employees. This amount will be distributed  
3 to the affected workers as soon as practicable.

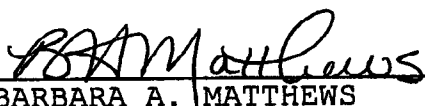
4 Dated: May 6, 2008

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I am a citizen of the United States of America and am over eighteen years of age. I am not a party to the within action; my business address is 90 7th Street, Suite 3-700, San Francisco, California 94103. On May 6, 2008 I served **THE SECRETARY'S REPORT TO THE COURT** in this action by facsimile transmission at the facsimile number indicated below and by placing a true copy thereof in a sealed government envelope with postage thereon, mailed in San Francisco, California, addressed to:

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I certify that under penalty of perjury that the above is true and correct. Executed on May 6, 2008 in San Francisco, California.

  
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